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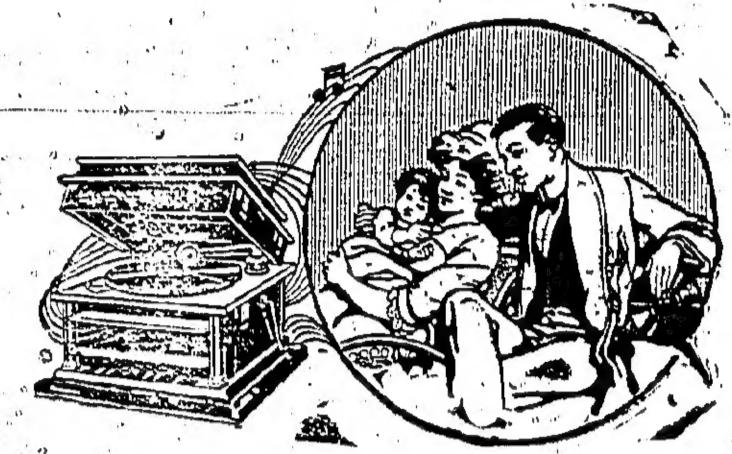
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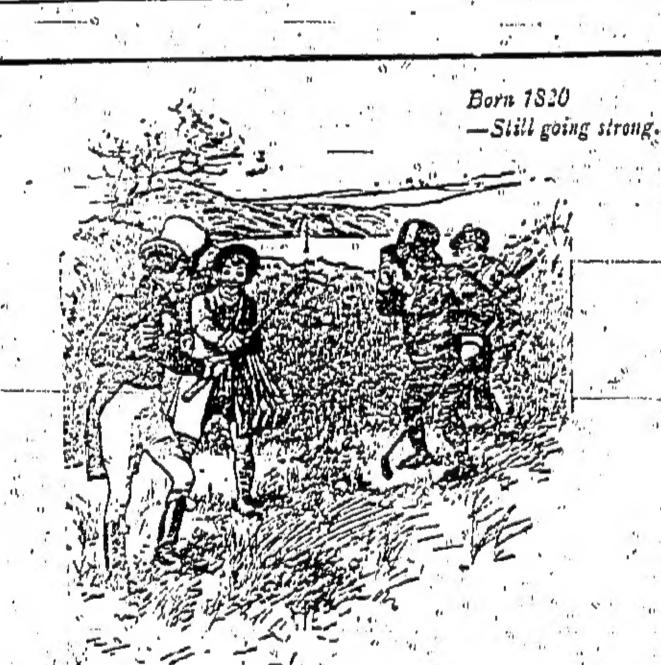
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military party. But there is, he says, sid all other information confirms this, no widespread movement in favour of such a. feeling seems to be that in spice of the stormy conditions of its inauguration, and all the new difficulties created by the outbreak of a European war and Japan's participation in it, the new Constitution is working much better than its critics

expected.

The Manchester Guardian has issued. with the President's sanction, a special China number, which contains a wast amount of meet useful and interesting information about the Republic from every point of view, and especially from that of the openings available for British trade there. Allowance must be made for a there. Allowance must be made for a point of view throughout very optimistic; and there is room for more exact information than is always given; but on the whole the supplementies useful production, worth attentive reading. China, with an area of over four million square miles, inhabited by a population intelligent and laborious, enjoying an ancient civilisation, and endowed with rare artistic faculty, is, from the trade point of view, only at the upening of its history. The wealth of its fields and mines has only just begun to be developed. England at present enjoys onedeveloped. England at present enjoys onehalf of the total foreign trade of China but if the position, gained largely by the energy of Lancashire, is to be maintained and extended, the internal resources of the country must be developed and its

pecial characteristics understood. If Chins has, since the outbreak of the war, been cut off from the world's money market and cast upon its own resources, it has, on the other hand, enjoyed a term of internal quiet unknown for two decades; and the fruit of that peace is seen in the steady development of the material re-sources of the country. Revenue," to quote from the introduction to the Sup-plement, "has flowed in punctually and in increasing volume, the provinces have remitted to the Central Government with ready alscrity, and an internal loan has been taken up with enthusiasm by the nation." How much is still to do, and how necessary is internal peace to permit of its perform-ance, is clear from the article on the cotton trade-and that on the railway system. The population is extremely cient and industrious, but at present hampered by the obsolete credit system in the interior, the primitive banking system, and the absence of any sound fact that it apports far more than it imports. In China the average adverse balance of trade has been 140 million tacks per annum during the last decade; to which must be added 70 million taels on account of interest and redemption payments

against external loans. A large part, of course of these external loans is againstindustrial and railway enterprise, but a sum of 450,000,000 taels (£67,500,000). upon which the interest and redemption charge amounts sunually to 20,000,000 taels (about £3,000,00 at the exchange upon which this loan was based), is entirely unproductive, for it represents the amount of indemnity which the country has to pay for its indiscretions of the Boxer era of

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development. Improvement in internal communications will extend the opportuni-ties for development in external tride. At present China proper and Manchuria, with an area of 1.780,000 square miles, have only 5,000 miles of railway in operation, about 7,000 miles more being "concessigned or under construction. Five thousand miles of railroad is one mile per 77 millions of population, against one mile per 8 millions in India, one mile par 10 millions in Japan, and one mile per 3 millions for the Russian Empire.

Largely owing to Japanese, and to a lesser extent to German and Russian, competition, Lancashira's trade with China under the main export heading of plain staples has not only not developed, but has

shown a distinct retrograde movement." So far as Manchester goods are concerned, the exports to China of the prin

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of bleached goods have made satisfactory advance, the grand total shows a falling of in turnover in the last decade, as compared with as far back as from 1885-1894, of no system. India's prosperity is based on the less than 20,400,000 pieces, of lengths system. India's prosperity is based on the between 30 and 40 yards, equalling 21 per cent, decrease. Japan enjoys the advantages of geographical situation and cheap labour supply but its competition has been for the

existing channels of trade rather than the opening out of a wider field. Lancashire no favour, which is the principle of the Open Door. We would only add that the open door for exports will be of little use if a Tariff Reform, movement closes the door to import - and so raises the cost of production. - The Economist.

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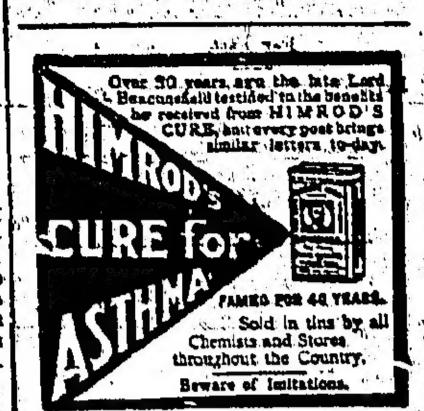
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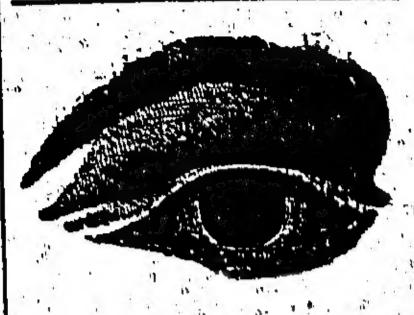
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MONDAY, the 13th December, 1915, at 11 a.m., at their Offices, Queen's Buildings, RUNDEY

VALUABLE OFFICE FURNITURE Ac., &c., &c. Consisting of :-Writing Desks, Writing Tables, Filing Cabineta, Stationery Ricks, Show Cases, Clock, Barqmeter, Electric

Fans, etc., etc., etc., Three Large Safes by Chubbs & Philips & Sons, London. On yiew from the 12th inst.

Terms :- Cash. HUGHES & HOUGH Auctioneers

Hongkong, Dec. 8, 1915.

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MONDAY,

the 13th Decumber, 1915, 12 30 p.m., at the Osaka Shosen Kaisha's Godown No. 25, Praya Central, opposite Douglas Wharf, 366 BAGH OF FINE QUALITY PASTRY FLOUR

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Des Veeux Road, Corner of Ice House Street. "A LARGE QUARTITY OF VALUABLE TEAKWOOD AND BLACKWOOD FURNITURE,

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Hongkong, Dec. 9, 1915.

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MONDAY,

the 20th December, 1915, commencing at. 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Voux Road, Corner of Ice House Street,-A LARGE QUARTITY OF JAPANESE CURIOS, &c, &c,

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PUBLIC AUOTION.

FIRE Undersigned have rec ived instructions from The Ligereatons or MESSES. CARLOWITZ & Co., to solt. Public Auction,

WEDNESDAY, the 15th December, 1915," at 2.30 p.my, at No. 1a, Connaught Road,

Second Floor A. QUANTITY OF OFFICE FURNITURE,

æc., , &c., de., " Comprising :-Several Desks, Sample and Show Cases, Filing Cabinets, Pigeon Holes, etc., etc., a number of Typewriters in good condition,

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Hongkong Dec. 8, 1915.

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(FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),

SATURDAY. the 18th December, 1915, commencing at 2.30 p.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8.

Des Vœux Koad, Corner of ICE HOUSE STREET, A LARGE CONSIGNMENT, OF MECHANICAL,

ASSORTED TOYS. . Particulars wi I'be published later. Trains :- Uash.

HUCHES & HOUGH, Auctioneers. Hongkong, Dec. 10, 1915.

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HONGKONG YOLUNTEER CORPS Corps Orders by Lient.-Col. A:

JOINED. . Private D. Pasco joined the Corps on 9:12.15, and was posted to Signalling

_Chapman, Y.D.

Section. MEDICAL ATTENDANCE. Reference Corps Order No. 2 dated 9.12.15. Volunteers failing to notify the Hospital Authorities on admission to Hospital, as instructed, will be required to pay their own expenses.

MANNING OF POSTS. The Right Section M.G. Co. will man their mobilisation Post on Mohday, 13th inst. at 4 p.m.

FIELD OPERATIONS ON LETH INST. Units taking part will parade as fol-9 a.m. Right Section M.G. Co. at

Headquarters. 9.15 a.m. Nos. 1 and 2 Sections Arty. Batty, and Civil Service Company at Kennedy's Stables, Causeway Bay. 9.45 a.m. Left Section M.G. Co. on Cricket Ground.

Khakin drill jackets and shorts and putties to be worn. Rifles, belts and sidearms, four pouches, waterbottles (filled) and haversacks to be carried. Right and Left Sections M.G. Co, will wear caps. The remainder will weer helmets. Food to be taken in haver

HONGKONG VOLUNTEER RESERVES.

Major Wakeman Commanding H. K.Y.R. this parade.

PRISONERS OF WAR CAMP GUARD AND GUN "CLUB HILL DETACEMENT. The H.K.V.C. will relieve the Co. " C" Sec. 2. H.K.V.R. on Monday, the 13th inst.

Prisoners of War Camp :- " Monday, 20th inst., Sees. 1, and 2 of

Tuesday, 21st inst., Secs. 1 and 2 of Wednesday, 22ml inst., Sec. 1 of C Co. Thursday, 23rd inst., Secs. 3, and 4 of

Friday, 24th inst., Sees. B and 4 of Saturday, 25th inst., Secs. 2; 3 and of C Co.

Gun Club Hill :-Monday, 20th inst., Secs. 3 and 4 of

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Friday, 24th inst., Secs. 1 and 2 of Saturday, 25th inst., Sec. 1 of C Co. MUSERFER.

Companies who have not fired Part I. damage caused by neglect of this pre-(Trained Men) Musketry Course must caution. attend at King's Park Range on Wednesday, the 15th inst., at 2.15 p.m.

PARADES. Recruits will parade on the Cricket Ground on Monday, the 13th" inst., Wednesday, the 15th inst.; and Thursday, the 16th inst., at. 5.15 p.m., under Sergt.-Major Bond. Dress; drill order. The Signalling Section will parade at Volunteer Headquarters on Monday, the 13th inst., Wednesday, the 15th inst., and Friday, the 17th inst., at 5.15 p.m. In future members will carry Morse as well as Semaphore Flags." Message forms must be brought to all parades.

A." " B " and " C " Companies will parade on the Cricket Ground on Friday, the 17th inst., at 5.15 p.m. Dress: drill

Companies including exempted members 150 rounds ball ammunition will be carried, food taken in haversacks and water. bottles filled. Great coats will be carried viously notified that he is exempted from

DOSTING. Ptc. K. E. Groig having joined is allotted Corps No. 567 and posted

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HE hurden of obesity is so distressing and so unpreposes using, and is generally so difficult to get rid of with any degree of permanence, that the introduction to floregame of the famous British Specific Antil a will be welcome in many quarters. The properation is not unknown have already but the obstacles in the way of its supply to the general public were uncessfully great. All difficulties are now temoved.

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All members will hand to Noordin tailor, their tunies so that hooks for belts may be fixed. Each member must at the time of sending in his tunic send his

It has been brought to the notice of the Officer Commanding that cases have Thursday, 23rd inst., Secs. 1 and 2 of arisen in which it has been found that the belts of some rifles are not those that were issued with the rifles. Members are warned that great care must be taken in seeing that each member has the correct belt for the rifle in his possession, All members of "A, " "B "and "C" and that they will be held liable for any

GERMAN SPIES IN LONDON.

Canadian Woman's Strange Experience. That there are German spies in London masquerading in the guise of British officers is vouched for by Mr Edward Turner, formerly well known in Montreal, "and until the other week a resident at the Queen's Gate Hotel. To a representative of the periodical, "Canada, Mr Turner

with a cousin who speaks German, was at a London railway station on the arrival of a Red Cross train. The crowd was dense, and in the crush Mrs Turner trod on the foot of an offi or wearing the uniform of a British staff officer, who, probably "All members of "A," " B " and " C " troubled with a g uty foot and forgetting his role, gave vent, to the " o th Gott will parade at Volunteer Headquarters on i.g his nationality. Keeping her eye upon Saturday, the 18th inst., at 1.45 p.m. him, but quietly edgirg up on to one of the Dress: full marching brder with topees, numerous station police around, the lady concisely explained her auspicions. - It is to the credit of the official organisation that immediate steps were taken, and the pseudo British officer arrested, the name on banderole over the right shoulder, and address of the lady informant being Every member must attend unless pre- noted. Less than a week after she received a chaque for £100 from the authorities, accompanied by an official letter of thanks for the part she had taken in ending the

activities of a "much wanted apy." Mr Turner, who has comiderable buzin rs interests in the West Indies, sailed for Barbades, vis St. John, by the Royal Mail ste mship Corsican on October 15.

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All these are sure signs of clogging blood impurity, calling for immediate treatment through the blood, so lotions and messy cintments, which cannot get below the surface of the skin. What you want and what you must have is a medicine that will get right to the root of your trouble, a medicine that will thoroughly free the blood of the poison-ous matter which alone is the true cause of all your suffering Clarke's Plood overcome, and expel from the blood all impurities (from whitever cause arising), and by rendering it clean and pure, can be relied on to effect a lasting cure. The True Value of

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THE DIARY.

MEMO. FOR TO DAY.

5 p.m .- Concert in aid of Belgian Field Hospital, in Naval Terrace.

MEMOS. FOR MONDAY.

11 a.m. - Austion of Office Furniture at Mes.rs. Hughes and Hough's. Noon.-Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co's. Meeting.

General Memoranda.

TUESDAY, Dec. 14:-Prince Alberta Birthday (1895). 2.30 p.m.-Auction of Blackwoodware, Furniture, Brasses, etc., ab Messrs. Hughes and Hough's.

WEDNERDAY, Dec. 15 :wat Measrs. Hughes and Hough's.

THURSDAY, Dec. 16:-Celebration.

6 p.m. Lecture by Mr. P. Higlis in St. "Joseph's College Hall.

SATURDAY, Dec. 18:-Noon.-Extraordinary General Meeting of the China Fire Insurance Co. Ltd. 2.30 p.m. - Auction of Toys, at Mesers. Hughes and Hough's.

MOYDAY, Dec. 20 :-11 a.m.-Extraordinary General Meet ing of the Union Insurance Society of

Canton, Ltd. Meeting of the China Traders, Insurance Co., Ltd.

2.30 p.m.-Auction of Japanese Curios at Messrs. Hughes and Hough's. 5.30 p.m.—Organ Recital at St. John's Onthedral.

We have much more pleasure in calling attention to a telegram. in another column, in which Reuter's Agency refers to what is appropriately termed a "remarkable article" from the Berlin Morgen Post. It forms, especially coming at present, a remarkable counterblast to Justice. to Dr. Rethmann-Hollweg's speech. It has the merit of being true and therefore is worthy of serious consideration. This influential paper ways that "the discontent of the population—(of Berlin apparently) of the country cunnot concent their paying routher for \$1,000 which was as it does growing dissatisfaction with the German rulers. "Let the Minister of the Trensury," continues on the western side of the South Channel, the newspaper quoted, "who is so optimistic, walk the streets of Berlin and see the thousands of poor women | Pamberton Toot. Mrs. Mozon as erronestanding in long queues at the shops ownly stated) is setting as hom, secretary in order to obtain a quarter of a of the newly-formed Hongkong War pound of butter." It would be an glad to receive donations of materials at object lesson (observes the writer the City Hall. quoted) sufficient to convince him that everything is not so well with us as it ought to have been." " Matters have been calling for a Dictator to solve the food problem" "That writer) but we certainly do not need men who have proved unequal

This is indeed a "remarkable" statement and nas we have said, it bears, unmistakably, the stamp of truth upon it. It would be of much interest to know if the Press. Censor sanctioned its publication, for if he did it may safely be concluded that it is merely the "official way of letting a little of the true state of affairs in Berlin be known to the Germans. Sanctioned or not, it is we bluff a little with success, but even Germany cannot bluff all the time and hido the real truth. Germany is a beaten nation and no-one knows of that fact better than does Dr. Beth-German officials, who, if they had but half the manliness of Berr Scheidermann (who pointed out to the Chancellor that "the whole world peace") would state to their fellowcountrymen and, to the world that Germany was sensible enough to know that she must now set aside her arrogance and acknowledge defeat.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

His Excellency the Governor has been

Mr J. Stodart Kennedy has been elected a lay member of the Church body of St. John's Cathedral, to fill the vacancy occusioned by the departure of Mr 4. R

Inspector Kent charged a Chineso before Mr Haz-land "this morning with dant was fined \$400 or two months. The special constable on duty in the Court acted as interpreter in the Shanghai dialect.

A meeting of the Licensing Board will be held in the Council Chamber at 12 45 p.m. on Monday, the 20th icst, for the purpose of considering an application from Mrs. Clara Clogg for a restaurant keeper's adjunct licence to sell by retail intoxicating liquors at the Alexandra Café.

Twenty-three tacks of oplum, cleverly concoaled in biscuits and in long bars of \$1,000 or two months' hard labour by Mr Hazeland at the Magistracy this morning. Inspector Kent said the man in his statement said he had brought it back from Annam. The value was \$253 having increased \$1 per tack-

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

"The Desember Criminal Sessions W pan on the 20th by order of the Chief

A further list of articles prohibit exportation appears in Cazette."

"Mr. Denman Fuller is giving revital at Canton this evening in ald of

The pelice report the finding of resterday reported lost:

It is announced by the Coast Inspector, at Shanghai, that the sis. Tare Maro lies sunk in about 35 foot of water

The Givernment Guatte contains an announcement from Mr Bonar Law, cannot so continue, and some people Secretary of State for the Colonies, to the eff co that it was decided to declare a blockade of the whole of the Balgarian coast on the Egenn see and that effect was is a mont question, (concludes the given to the decision by the Vice-Admiral commanding the "Fastern Meditaranean Sq adron as from 6 a.m. on Oct. 16th. The Royal proclamations issued on behalf to the task of organising the food of the British Empire in regard to the war with the Central Powers are enforced against the King of the Bulgarians.

THE NEW MEMBER OF THE

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. Mr Percy Hobson Holyonk, who wa waiting Germany's overtures for may properly claim to be an all-tound

BE DECORATED.

A Volunteer Reserve Order says :on the Cricket Ground ou Tuesday the 14th instant at 5.15 p.m. on the accasion of the presentation of Volunteer Decorations to two Officers of the H.K.V.C. by His Excellency the Governor.

> SAILORS' AND SOLDIERS ORPHANS FANCY SALE. Over \$3,100 Taken.

Mrs. W. H. Gill and Miss Rutherford beg to express their sincere thanks to the Rev." Norman Pope and Vestry of St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, for kindly leading their Church Hall and grounds for the holding of their laney sale; to Lady May, for opening the sale; to Lt. Col. Watson and Officers, 74th Punjable, for the use of their Band; to the Ordnance Store Department for the loan of marquees, cto:; to the " South China Morning Post " and " China Mail " for tree advertising, etc.; The Tramway Co., Ltd., Ster Perry Co., Ltd., Peak Tramway Co., Ltd., 'also for advertising free; the ladice of Howloon and Mesers. Wm. Powell, Ltd., Lane, Crawford and Co., Co., Ltd., Apple-Swiss Milk Co., Koliy and Welsh, Ltd., W. Brewer and Co., Ltd., Cassom Ahmed and Co., Wassime common scap, led to a Chinese being fined siter the Bamboo, Structure and Mr. contributed to the programme; and to the

> the stalls. The proceeds amounted to over \$2,100.

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Unsatisfactory Results of First Year's Working.

The following amusing skit is taken from the Straits Times :---A somewhat extraordinary meeting of the Consolidated Rultur, Land Grabbing

and National Aspirations Company, Un-limited, was hold at the officer of the company, Potsdam, Mr. Wilhelm Kaiser (chalrman, managing director, advertising manager, trustee in bankruptoy, etc. The Secretary (Mr., Bethman (Badegg)

having road the notice convening the meeting and the report of the auditors.

The Chairman said: Ladies and gentlemen,—Ooth strate Sir Edward Grey and Co. I think that expresses the sentiments of all the shareholders. I have every reason to believe it is one idea which will be

approved and adopted." A Voice: "Yes! About the only one that will be." · If it had not been for Sir Edward Grey and Co., we should have undoubtedly been able to show good prost on the year's

working of our new company. Despite the opposition, however, we have, as anticipated, been able to acquire large tracts of territory both in the hast and Wist. But competition has been severe owing to the enormous financial resources of our competitors, and the fact that a large majori'y of our shareholders have unfortunately met with serious secidents has mitigated against our being able to raise further capital. is However, it must be noped that

time next year will find us in a happier position, and if any of the directors or shareholders are still alive we may be able declare a substantial dividend. Careful as the management have been, one or two unremunerative ventures have been started and failed since we met a year ago. instance, shertly after the inauguration of the company we engaged a Mr Tirpa, late manager of the Turpentine, London, the purpose of running a new department The objects of this department were :-(1) To keep the Kiel Canalin good repair

(2) to extend our activities under the se as well as on land. I am sorry to say that this department of

the business has shown a loss of several hundreds of thousands of pounds. This your directors deplote, and have in consequence given three months' notice to Mr Tirps. (A Voice: "What have you given yourself ? ") To counteract the bad effect of this misjudgment, however, succes ful engagement has been sutered to with a Mr Zeppy, which has already more than justified itself. This gentleman came to us with the suggestion that in addition to the already vast aspirations of the complete control of the air. Several been carried out by Mr Zoppy. your directors have every reason to feel sanguing as to the eventual possibilities of establishing a permanent colony in the air representing the interests of this company. I should like to say that in this connection our scheme is so unique that we have outwitted our competitors. I think you. ago, and since then has held a seat on the in every detail with great caution, and due to the shareholders for the issue of a bread "ticket during the first six calendar months in lieu of a half-yearly dividend. I think there is little to add to the report of the auditors which is before you, but I should be, of sourse, happy to answer any questions to the best of my

> All the shareholders clamoused for a order was restored for a few seconds, but again offensive epithets were hurled at the chair.usn, who finally escaped through a

The meeting broke up in great disorder, after a committee of investigation had been appointed.

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The defendants, it was said, obtained an order from a Chinesi gentleman to send exportation of which was prohibited. The the docks on May 6, but it was not until May 19 that the defendants applied for a licence, which was refused.

> CHINAMAN'S £2,839 IN. A LONDON BANK.

Wong Hole Chong, of Limehouse cruse way, was summoned at Thames Police Court recently for keeping a gaming house, and Wong Sing and Chung You were summoned for assisting in the man

Mr Barker, who prosecuted, said on the night of Oct. 15 the police went to 12, Limehouse-causeway, and in a back room saw a number of men round a table. Money on the table, and the game of "Fan Tan was being played.

-A sum of over £310 was found on the premises, while Wong Chong's bank bool showed that in nine months £2,859 bad been paid into his account at the bank. Mr Chancellor adjourned the case, proforms, for committal

The Financial Times states that the Admiralty has acquired control of 80 commegning steamers, approximately 22 per cont of the British tonnage engaged in the overwess trade, and the probable number will be raised to 900 in the near

SPORTING.

Shangh it Championship.

The championship of the Bhanghai Golf. Club was decided yesterday (says the N. C. Daily News of Documber 6) at the Kiangwan course when D. J. E. Murray won a most interesting and closely fought match by one up from Capt. E. I. M. Barrett." The scores were as follow: -

Barrett ... 5, 7, 4, 4, 5, 5, 6, 6, 4-48
Murray ... 7, 4, 5, 3, 5, 3, 6, 5, 3-41 Barrett ... 4, 4, 3, 6, 5, 4, 5, 4, 5-40 Murray ... 4, 4, 5, 6, 6, 4, 5; 3, 5-42 ATTERMOON. Barrett ... 5, 6, 6, 4, 5, 2, 4, 4, 4-39 Murray ... 4, 4, 7, 7, 3, 4, 5, 4-42

> FOREIGNER'S MYSTERIOUS DEATH.

Barrett ... 4, 4, 4, 5, 7, 3, 4, 3, 6-4

Murray ... 5, 4, 4, 4, 8, 3, 4, 4, 6-42

Mr. J. Williamson.

investigating the circumstances attending the death of a British subject named Mr James Williamson which are at present offer. alouded in mystery, says the "Shanghai Mercury" of December 3 Decemed's body was found early this morning by the police of that Station in a Chinese house in the Chapel district and ear'y this forenoon | with no business to report. t was removed to the Public Mortuary where an inquest was later opened by M G. W. King. H. M. Coroper. Evidence of Intoch, of the American Presbyt rian Mission Press, taken and the inquiry was

then adjourned until Mond .y afternoon. " of Shanghai, having been connected with the American Preshyterian Mission Press for close on twenty years. He came to the Far Bast from New Zoaland, of which service with the Presbyterian Mission Press he rose to the position of accountant. His colleagues at the office had noticed nothing wrong with Mr Williamson lately and he made no complaints of serious illness. He was working as at the office yesterday continued at his desk until after six o'clock, when he finished for the day and went home for dinner. After dinner it is thought he went for a walk i the Chapel Di trict and it is from that investigated by the authorities. The matter | for at 26 - with no shares on offer at the was not called to their attention until ten minutes to one o'clock this morning. The

story of the residents of the house from about half past nine o'clock last night Mr figure, with no sellers in evidence. Lusons Villiamson kneeked at the door and complained of sickness. He was admitted to the house but died shortly afterwards. Dr nominal quotation of \$361. E Murray is to make a post mortem examination of the body. Deceased, when last seen by foreign friends, appeared to be in his usual spirits and one of the staff at at \$83% and \$84 and alose with buyers at his office to-day received a letter from him \$834 without leading to business. Kawareferring to business matters and giving no indication of anyth ng untoward. "Mr Williamson was a man of about 50

the organ during service. He was

'A Coroner's inquest resulted in a verdict of "Death from natural causes.

DEATH OF AN OLD SHANGHAI RESIDENT.

We regret to announce (says the N. C. 113, Cannon-street London, were fined last Daily Naws of December 6) the death of month at East Ham £20 and £5 costs for Mr James Alexander Harvis, one of sanding prohibited goods to the Royal Shanghai's oldest residents, who passed away on Saturday at the Shanghai General Hospital at the age of seventy five. Mr Harvie arrived in Shanghai in the early certain goods to Amoy. These included six leafto join the firm of Lane, Crawford a stylealicylic acid and phenacetin the and Uo., and after service with this company for some years, he started defendants precuted the ord'r by sending business on his own account as a merchant it to another firm. The goods were sent to and commission agent, continuing until about ten years ago when he retired from active busidess but stayed in Shanghai at his residence, "The ouk," North Honan Road Extension. Deceased was taken il less than a week ago and was removed to

> In his young days in Shanghai, Mr. Harvis was a good athlete and for years was con-idered one of the best local runners, walkers and on smen, gaining many trophis in these lines of sport. He was also a good cross country rider. His great rival on the running track was Mr. R. S. Gunday, a former editor of the "North China Daily Mews' who, with Mr. Harvie, held all the honours for some years. Mr Harvie used also to be a very ardent

> volunteer. "He joined "B" company soon after its formation, and rose to the rank of He was a successful exhibitor in the first

show of the Shanghai Horticultural Society out by Wong Sing and Chung You. There were also a brass cup and wooden pointer exhibited practically every ye z since, exhibition in the Town Hall.

> daughters and one sin, all in England. The funeral takes place this afternoon at Bubbling Well cemetary.

The London Prize Court has condemed the racht Ge mania, belonging to the Kaupp family. The Jacht co & £45,000 to build. The decision was given despite the defendant's counsel's pies that vessel was sopleything and that it. against the comity of nations to seize the toys of private individuals.

be calleful to keep the cough loose and expectoration easy by giving Chamberlain's Cough remedy as may be required. This remedy will also liquity the tough muous and make it ensier to expectorate. It has been used successfully in many epidemics and as it contains no narcotic or other injurious substanced it is perfectly said. West said by all Uhemists and Store-

COMMERCIAL

SHARE REPORT.

Messrs. Vernon and Smyth in their weekly share report, dated 10th December.

The local market spart from the sudden demand for shipping slares (Indos and Douglas, s) has ruled quiet with a moderate damand for investment, account," and a tendency on the part of speculaturs to buy for forwa d delivery at the equivalent of our ont quotations. Standard Tin closes at £185} for cash, and Plantation Rubber at 3/d for apot delivery with a very sensitive and fluctuating market at the close. Par silver is 'o day wired from London at 267d and the closing rates of Exchange are, on Lond on 1/114, T. T. Shanghai 74, T. T. and Singa; ore 82%. T. T. The Bank's buying rate on Shangh a for Sds bills now stands at 751.

Banks :- Hongkong and Shanghais have sold at \$800, and more can be procured at

Marine Insurances:-- Unions have been placed at \$900 and \$910, and at the latter" rate mure shares are now on offer. Cantons have been the medium of business at \$425 and at which price they close with a nominal quotation. North Chinas have be n a quiet market at The 175 and Yangtzes The North Exechuen Road Police are in demand at the improved rate of \$280 at *xchange . 73 with no shares .ou .

> Fire Insurances :- Chinas have been sold at \$150 and now close with buyers at \$151}: Hongkongs remain on offer at \$410

Shipping :- Douglasus have been an active market at rates varying between identification was given by Mr Gilbert Mc. \$854 and \$94 for cash and settlement delivery, and now close with probable buyers at 293. Indo Chinas have also con-Mr. Williamson was an old resident siderably improved during the period under raview and been pluced at various rates between \$144 and \$154 with buyers now in syndency at \$154. Steamboats have been country he was a native. After his long sold at 820, and close , with buyers at \$19} with no shares on offer. Star Ferries have been a quiet market with a

nominal quotation of \$375. Our :- Shells have been sold locally at 85/- and Langkats have a nominal quotation of Tis 36. Ural Caspians have sesed alightly and shares are obtainable at 37/-Mining : - Kailans remain unchanged with a nominal quatation of 30/- and Raubs are on offer at \$33. Troughs are inquired

Refineries :- China Sugars, after sales at which the body was recovered is that at | B125 and \$128, close with buyers at the last have been a quiet market and have a

Docks, Whare's and Godowns :- Hongs kong and Whampoo Dacks have been placed loon Wharves have been sold at \$77, and are now wanted at \$774 with no years of age and during his stay in Shanghai sellers in evidence at the rate. In the his proposer said yesterday, Mr Holyoak is motion for saveral eminutes. Cries of Church helper a continue secretary of the New Engineerings have improved well-known and well-liked in the Colony "What about your promises of certain Literary and Social Guild and also to a buying rate of Tis 9 and Shanghai Superintendent of the Sunday Schrol. Docks have a nominal quotation of Tis 601, Docessed on several occasions officiated at Shanghai and Hongken Wharves are quoted

at The 98, nominal. Lands, Hotels and Buildings :- Hongkong Lands have been a quiet market with a n minal quotation of \$103;, and Hongkong Hotels have been placed at \$109 ... Central Estates are on offer at \$103, and Hamphreys are wanted at 64 with no shares on offer. West Points have buyors at \$701 and Kowloon Lands are unchanged with

nominal quotation of \$40. Cotton Mills:-The market in Shanghai has again ruled dull, and the following tates are according to our latest advices, vis Ewes Tla 160 nominal. Internationals Tis 75 nominal, Laou Kung Mows Tis 75 nominal, Soy Chees The 46 nominal, and Yangizepons Tla 61 nominal, Shanghai Cottons have buyers at Tie 86, and Kung Yiks are on offer at Tls 15.

Miscellaneous :- Coments have beenfluctuating market, and after sales" at various rates between 89.50 and \$2.80 have now buyers in evidence at \$10. Hongkong Tams are wanted at \$5.20 Peak Trams (old) at \$10 and new issue at 85 cents and China Lights at 84.65. Dairy Farms are on offer at \$31. Ropes at \$36, Waterboats at 8161, and Powells at \$6 China Borneos have a neminal quotation of \$101 China Provident of \$9.50, Electrica of \$44h, Tous of \$190, and Steam Laundries

SHANGHAL TRADE.

THE STOCK OF SILVER.

Mesers libert and Co.'s latest Fices Goods Market Report says !--There is a rather batter feeling in our market, but the vicinatudes of exchange in The deceased leaves a widow, two the interval have retarded business by blowing hot one moment and cold the next,

upon tentative enquirers. The beny stock of silver that has remained piled up in Shanghai for so many months, shown a yory satisfactory reduction and though about four and a half million tack have been absorbed by Visdivostock, Harbin and Manchuris, principally me doubt for Russian requirements, healthy indication is that some thirteen and a half million taels " have good into the interior of China vis Yangtere port- and lieutein. This latter amount is represented mainly by payments for export. produce, or, more correctly, by the halance in favour of China of her export trade over her imports during the last two months. When this rilver has had time to percolate freely throughout the unital channels s trade, it should have the beginnings of a good effect in oiling the import demand. which has lacked sufficient, lubrication in this respect ever since Shanghai became a kind of national safe deposit for silver that was frightened into the port by the political unrest of the last few years. The stock, even with repent reductions, still amounts to over sixty-one and a half millian tacis. against a high water mark of about eighty air millions in the early part of this year,

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DONNELLY .- On December I, at the Victoria Nursing Home, Shinghai, to and Mrs Ivon Donnattr, alson. MARRIAGE. TEMLETT-VICKEY -On December 4, at

Shanghai, Authur H. Tem. et. Dessis ldest daughter of the Into W. J. Vicary and Mrs Long, Somerser, England. DEATHS.

HARVIE -On December 4, at the General Hospital, Shanghai, James, ALEXANDER HARVIE, aged 75 years, DONNELLY .- On December 3, at the Wictoria Nursing Home, Shanghai, Ottver Ivox. dearly leved infant son of Mr and Mrs Ivon Donnelly.

China Maik

SPEECH.

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, D.C. 11, 1915. DR BETHMANN-HOLLWEG'S THE opening of the Reichstag, according to the telegrams to hand, was characterised by the delivery of another of the kind of specches with which we are now quite familiar when Germany's Imperial Chancellor expounds his country's policy and attitude with reference to the war. It was "noteworthy," we read, "for its outburst of hatred and rage against the war." Against those who are difficult for even the most philosophic pleasant things. To us the German Imperial Chancellor appears to be neither philosophic nor truthful, else pleased to appoint Mr H. W. Looker to why should he express himself so be a nember-of-the Medical Board sice the

England," in which the Chancellor apparently was "unable to conceal his uneasiness at the continuance or getting the better of us in rivalry, of any kind, especially of a very serious kind, such as war, it is always very to refrain from saying at least unviolently and so "inaccurately" with la o Mr E A. Hewett, with effect from toregard to England ? The Doctor's remarks about "British hypocrisy" a richly-deserved spanking.

and Great Britain's reason for taking up arms are just like the petulance of a naughty child after, having received Chancellor in his heart (and it is plain throughout even the summary of the speech available to us) knows that his country is being benten and possessing 9 tasks of loose opium. Defenthat the beating is owing very largely to Great" Britain's dominant position at sen. We do not intend to analyse the worthy Doctor's speech, simply because it is not worth dealing with seriously. We will merely add in regard to it that if it be true, as the 2.30 p.m .- Auction of Office Furniture Chancellor states, that the Germans "will not yield to words, but will resolutely continue the war in order to complete what Germany's future

4.30p.m. -- Mong-kok-sui Memorial Stone | demands," then, no matter what may be those "demands," the war will certainly continue much longer than it might were Germany capable of being brought to reason. This nation of superior culture, through its leading Statesman, says that it wil not: "yield to words"-meaning obviously, that no matter what good

grounds may be brought forward, it will not listen to them. That. course, is nothing more nor less than another little exhibition of petulance. 11.15 a.m.—Extraordinary General Lunworthy of any man claiming (as no doubt the good doctor does) the name of Statesman. Avaunt, the Chancellor and his silly speech; it is

not worth the serious consideratio

of any same person

the Red Cross funds.

We are saked to state that Mrs. C

vesterday elected by the Hongkong General Ganeral Chamber of Commerce as their representative on the Legislative Council. came to the Colony seventeen gears ago. From that time he has been connected with the local branch of the house of Raiss and reitorate; very evidently a true state- | Co., a firm established over 100 years ago ment: therefore, in what respect is in Manchester and London, and known in much of the German Imperial Chan- every great commercial centre. Mr Holycak cellor's remarks justified? One may was admitted into permership two years Committee of the Chamber of Commerce, | consequently, it feels that no apology while he has been Chairman and member i of various sub-Committees of the Chamber but outside that he had not up to yesterday's nomination sought election to any mann-Hollwegg and all, the other public position. He is a director of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, the Union Insurance Company, the and, controlling large commercial interests, success?" could be distinctly heard. Then Literary and Social Guild and also

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CHINA MAIL

HONGKONG, SATURDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1915.

THE WAR.

(Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

BALKAN CAMPAIGY.

HEAVY BULGARIAN LOSSES.

GENERAL RETIREMENT OF ALLIED TROOPS. 9.

SALONIKA, Dec. 10. Fighting on the British Front has ceased." On Wedbesday all was quiet. The British casualties since Monday are not considerable, whereas the Bulgarians must have lost heavily:

A general retirement of the Allied troops has commenced.

ATHENS, Dec. 10.

" Minisiterial circles say the Allied enter Greek territory.

Panis, Dec. 10. A communique "states: With regard to the Eastern Army: " When it was manifest-that a junction with Germans have been thrown back the right flank of the Serbian Armies beyond a crest southward of Saint was impossible, it was decided to Souplet. evacuate the French advanced positions on the Cerna and in the direction of Krivolak. The successive French artillery is active particularly retirement movements were effect in Arto's, where two of the enemy's ed methodically, without great batteries have been silencer. difficulty, notwithstanding Bul-Following violent actions on BRITISH STATESMEN IN FRANCE. garian attacks.

Wednesday and Thursday wherein the Bulgarians were repulsed and M. Puincaré received Sir Edward lost heavily, we occupied a new front Grey and Lord Kitchener, who later Printed and Published for THE CHIEL on the Bojima river in conjunction with the British.

REPORTED GERMAN OCCUPATION OF CHEYGELI.

Salonika, Dec. 10. It is reliably reported that two German divisions, commanded by General Gallwitz, occupied Ghevgelij this morning.

YALONA HELD BY ITALIANS.

Paris, Dec. 10.

A telegram from Rome says that Valona is strongly held by the Italian Army.

AMERICA AND AUSTRIA.

STRAINED RELATIONS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10. Diplomatic relations with Austria are in danger of being broken off by the United States unless the urgent troops are withdrawing in perfect order demands for the disavowal of the according to a pre-arranged plan and sinking of the Ancons, and a declarathe Bulgarians will not be allowed to tion that the occurrence will not be repeated, are complied with.

THE WESTERN FRONT.

PARIS, Dec. 10. A communique states that the

A further communique says the

PARIS, Dec. 10. Inuched with M. Poincaré and the members of the Cabinet.

GERMANY AND PEACE.

AMSTERDAM, Doc. 10. The German Press "appears to warmly welcome the Chancellor's speech in the Reichstag.

The comments of the Press are summed up in the sentence: "Germany would like peace: the sooner the better if it brings what we absolutely want."

NEW YORK, Dec. 10. The newspapers here see no chance of peace until, the Allies have restored the freedom of nations. Dr. Bethmann-Hollweg, if he had been frank, would have told the

Germans that the war had been a failure but that Germany had created a situation in which she cannot discuss Peace till she is exhausted.

GERMAN ATTACHES

REC LLED.

WASHINGTON, Dec, 10. Count B rustouff, the German Ambassaclor, has informed Mr. Causing that the German Navul and Military Attachés, Captain Boyed and Captain von P.pen, have been recalled in accordance with the request of the Amer.ca. Governm nt, and he saked that sale conduct be obtained for them.

NEW SPANISH MINISTRY.

MADRID, Dec 10. A Liberal Cabinet has been formed, the Premier being Count Romancres and the Foreign Secretary Sig. Villanneva.

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THE WAR.

TELEGRAMS.

Reuter's Service to the China Mail.)

SCARCITY OF FOOD IN BERLIN.

THE REAL CONDITION.

LONDON, Dec. 10. A remarkable article, considering the German Press Censorship, appears in the Morgen Post (a well-known Berlin of eight departments. newspaper) in which it is stated that the discontent of the population owing to the scarcity of foodstuffs is so increasing that friends of the country cannot conceal their deep anxiety. "Let the Minister of the Treasury who is so: optimistic in the Reichstag, walk through the streets of Berlin and see the thou- Europe, sands of poor women standing along in for this purpose is ten millions AUSTRALIA'S WAR EXPENDITURE. queues at the shops in order to obtain a quarter of a pound of butter. It would be an object less sufficient to convince him that everything is not so well with us as it ought to have been." "Matters," continues the journal, "cannot so continue, as some people (Rauter's Service to the China Mall.) bave been calling out for a Dictator to solve the food problem. That is a most question, but we certainly don't need men who have proved unequal to the

RECRUITING IN GREAT BRITAIN

task of organising our food supply."

REMARKABLE (S ELEVENTH-HOUR" RESPONSE.

LONDON, Dec. 10. There has been a remarkable eleventh-hour response to Lord Derby's recruiting appeal. During the last two days there have been long queues of recruits, often four deep despite persistent rain. " great was the rush in some places unable to be present, but he sent a that hundreds attested in batches, the medical examination being deferred.

Nevertheless the recruiting authorities still emphasise that every manis wanted.

.FIGHTING IN PERSIA.

PETROGRAD: Dec. U. Sultanbulak Pass, where gendarmes and German mercenaries have been fortifying themselves for a fortnight, under German and Turkish officers. The road to Hamadan is now open.

The enemy fied in complete disorder, and is being pursued by the Russians.

THE DUTCH GOVERNMENT AND PRESS CRITICISM.

THE HAGUE, Dec. 10. In the Becond Chamber the Minister of the Interior referring to he-case of Mr.-Schroeder, the editor of the Telegraaf, who is under arrest on a charge of viglating the neutrality laws of the country, said that éveryone was frèe to express sympathy with the Allies or the Central Powers, but it was not allowable to insult either. "The Press is free, but Justice upholds the law without looking to the right or the left," said the Minister. "The Government's the purposes of the Parliament Act power to do something to end the war is very limited. .The belligerents who are disposed to regard us with some distrust must wait till they are convinced that Peace negotiations would be better for them than continuance of the war. ""

THE QUEENBLAND PARLIAMENT

BRISBANE, Dec. 10. Upper House has again reached critical stage, the Legislative Counci voting 26 to 8 against its own abolition."

A BY-ELECTION:

LONDON, Dec. 10 . In the by-election at Cleveland, necessitated by the appointment of Mr. Herbert Samuel to the Duchy of Lancaster, the result was:

TIMELY RAINS IN AUSTRALIA

SYDNEY, Dec. 10. Timely rains have saved the ear crop)

CHINESE TELEGRAMS.

(Wah Tes Yot Po's Service.) THE IMPENDING CHANGE.

" PERING, Dec. 10. The Office created to prepare for the impending "great occasion" consists Hamadan under German command.

CHINESE EXCHANGE BANK FOR EUROPE,

The Minister of Finance proposes establish Exchango Banks The capital to be found (dollars, presumably.)

EABLIER TELEGRAMS.

PREMIER IN CONFERENCE WITH KING.

Mr. Asquith had a prolonged on Thursday evening.

NEW ZEALANDERS.

GREAT RECEPTION AT CAPETOWN.

CAPETOWN. Dec. 9. One, hundred and thirty wounded New Zealanders, who have been invalided, and are now returning to New Zealand, were given a magnificent reception at the Opera House at Capetown. General Botha was message in which he paid a tribute to their braye and noble conduct which, he said, was an inspiring example" to the manhood of the

BREAD MONOPOLY IN AUSTRALIA.

SYDNEY, Dec. 9. Russian troops, have occupied dorsed the establishment of a State General Nixon and the views of the monopoly of bread-making and selling at a cost of £600,000.

ALLIES' CO-OPERATION!

LONDON, Dec. 9.4 The Press Byreau announces that Sir Edward Grey and Lord Kitchener went to Paris yesterday to confer with the French Government.

INDIAN PRINCE AND FRENCH

LONDON, Dec. 9. The Rajah of Kapurthala, rêturning from a visit to the French front, subscribed half a million france

to the French War Loan.

TERM OF PARLIAMENT, TO BE EXTENDED.

until 31st January, 1917. He said as if it followed immediately after 1914. There would be a special provision ensuring that soldiers would not loss their opportunity of voting.

RECOGNITION OF GENERAL CARRANZA.

London, Dec. 9. Lord Robert Cecil (Under-Secrea intimated in the House of Commons that Great Britain had recognised the Carranza Government in Mexico.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10. Diplomatio relations between the United States and Mexico have been restored with the appointment by General Carranza of Sen. Arredonndo as Ambassader at Washington.

Mr. Fletcher, who is now at Chil will probably be the American imbassador to Mexico.

UNNECESSARY WORDS.

TX7 HY waste words and advertising space Y in describing the many points of merit in Chamberlain's Cough Remedy ? The most fastidious are satisfied when we state that it cures colds and coughs from any cause, and that it contains absolutely no narcotice or injurious substances. sale by all Chanists and Storekeepers

FIGHTING IN PERSIA.

Another Russian Success.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 9. It is officially announced that Russians defeated near Hamadan, Persia, a force of 500 cavalry and infantry of the insurgent gendarmerie and 1,200 German and Turkish mercanaries, with two guns." The enemy fled, leaving a great number killed and wounded. The Russians are pursuing the effensive.

WELL EQUIPPED ENEMY ARM "AT HAMADAN?"

LONDON, Dec. 9. In the House of Commons, in reply to Mr. Dillon, Lord Robert Cecil said the Persian Government had endeavoured take effective measures at flamadan where there was reason to believe th Germans had stored a large amount

AMERICA AND VIOLATION OF "NBUTRALITY.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 9. On the suggestion of President Wilson the Cabinet held a preliminary discussion, concerning plans by the Administration to prevent and punish violations of neutrality.

BRIBBANE, Dec 9. The Hon. Mr. Hughes, in a speech delivered here, said the Common wealth exceed £50,000,000,

DAILY BRITISH BULLETINS.

In the House of Commods Sir John Simon announced that daily British bulleting concerning operations on the Western front would shortly begin,

PARIS, Dec. 9. A violent bombardment of the Germot vigorous development." man positions in Champagne continued,

To-day's communique says that counter-attacks at Sonsin pushed the Germans back, and they now only hold a portion of an advanced trench which has been completely wrecked. The French had a minor success

DARDANELLES OPERATIONS.

the Argonhe.

Paris, Dec. 9. The French at the Dardanslies ex ploded an ammunition depot,

THE ADVANCE ON BAGDAD.

LONDON, Dec. 10. In the House of Commons, in rep to Mr. Bryce, Mr. Austen Chamberlai said that the advance on Bagdad was authorised by the Government after The State Labour Party has en- full consideration of the reports Raj and the General Staff and all other available information.

BRITISH YESSELS BUNK.

London, Dec. 10.

been sunk.

DURAZZO BOMBARDED.

LONDON, Dec. 10. Albanian tailing craft

GERMANS DESTROY AMERICAN

RICHMOND (VIRGINIA), Dec. 10. Fire practically destroyed the town In the House of Commons Sir Hopewell, where the new Dupont powder John Simon introduced the Parlia- factories are located. The latter were, ment and Registration Bill, extend- however, unharmed. The Governor ing the life of the present Parliament ordered troops to help the town. Two were found in possession the year 1916 would be treated for explosives near a Dupont warehouse and were arrested. They are believed be German agents.

WESTERN, PRONT.

REPORT-FROM - BRITISH HEADQUARTERS.

LONDON, Dec. 10. The British Headquarters in France report that two areoplanes went out on have not raturned.

"The destruction of the enemy's on peace negotiations. The question of the Queensland tary of State for Foreign Affairs) parapets and entanglements at various Herr Scheidermann, introducing points by our artillery continues. In reply to a successful bombardment of the senemy's position near Pilken on the oth inst. the enemy

heavily shelled the Ypres area to the northward. Little damage was done The Lad weather has limited activity in the air, but our airmen, were able to do useful work.

south of Arras a small party of ours entered a German trench and bombed after completing their mission." West of Fricourt we successfully exploded a large mine.

INTERMITTENT CANNONADE.

various points onthe Western Front, we shall decounted,

THE REICHSTAG RE-OPENED.

SPEECH BY GERMAN CHANCEDLOR.

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 9.

On the occasion of the re-opening of the Reichstag the House and galleries were crowded.

was noteworthy for his outburst of hatred and rage against England, in which he was unable to conceal his uneasiness at the continuance of the war. He admitted that British Sea Power was dominating, and said the Entente profited by that power to oppress Greece with brutal menace: He declared it was impossible that such oppressors should longer play war material. He would enquire whether the hypourits. He would repeat this there was not a well-equipped Army at before the world as often as Great Britain tried to hide her true features belind a cloud of calumny. The Chancellor read garbled extracts from English newspapers in support of his assertion that not pity-for Belgium but the desire to master Germany points on our Eastern Front. They up arms, and said this was the rear loss. Fighting continued before our son why at Great Britain's com- bridgehead at Gradec, on the Vardar. mand, the murder of nations con

The Imperial Chancellor (Dr. Bethmann-Hollweg) in his speech referred to the intervention of Bulgaria on the side of the Central Powers, despite the Entente's liberal war expenditure in 1916 would certainly promises to King Ferdinand, including even part of Serbia, " for whose menaced integrity Russia had an chained war.

"The opening of a way to the Near East was of inestiniable value economically and militarily. After: peace this bridge would resound not to the trunip of marching battalions but to the works of peace and Kultur. Friendship consolidated audience of His Majesty the King GERMAN POSITIONS BOMBARDED. comradeship in arms would enable. us to participate actively in the rise of the countries and peoples capable

Turning to the situation in Greece, the French blowing up an ammunition he said that under the threat to employ the dominating power of the British Fleet the Entente Powers had extorted a promise of benevolent neutrality. They proceeded to inter prot this as they liked, but the matter was not yet at, an end. The Chancellor 'proceeded' with a tirade on "British hypocrisy," and ridiculed the idea that Britain went to

war over Belgium. Reviewing the Military position he said-We hold in the East a strong defensive line, ever ready for further advance. In the West, it is true, the French and British, with great contempt for deuth, squeezed in our front at some points, but the attempt to break through failed. The positions against Italy were heroically held against continual Italian attacks, attended with gigantic loss of life.

The Chancellor reviewed in eulogistic terms the German administrations in Belgium and Poland, and progressing for the restitution of complained that England was Greek schools and Churches taken by strongling Belgiun industry by preventing exports overseas. He concluded:-"I have tried to give a clear description of the theatres of The British steamer Helmanuir has war. Against the logic of facts even the enemy is powerless. Our cal-The British steamer Veria and the culations contain no uncertain factor steamer Gouland's have also been sunk. to "impair the country's upshaken confidence in its invincible strength. He would try to make us believe that we, who are going from victory to victory far out in enemies coun-A Montenegria communique says tries, would be inferior in endurance that nine Austrian warships bombarded activity, and internal moral to our Durazzo and an Italian wireless station enemies; who are still dreaming of and sank a number of Montenegrin and victory. No, we will not yield to words, but shall resolutely continue.

the war in order to complete what Germany's future demands. ' ... The Chancellor emphatically asserted that there were sufficient provisions if rightly distributed. The enemy think -we are on the eve of collapse, and represent us as begging for peace, and that Prince Buelow in Switzerland, Dr. Solf at The Hague, Prince-Max Baden at Stockholm, and Cardinal Hartmann at Rome are all credited with missions to promote mediation. There is "not a word of truth in these legends. This Press campaign began when the Entents policy in the Bulkans threatened to collapse, and the enemy attempts to break through

in the West failed." After the speech, the Reichstag discussed a Socialist interpellation, 9.30 a.m. Musketry at King's Park asking whether the Chancellor was Raffre, as detailed in Corps Order No. 3 discussed a Socialist interpellation, a reconnaisance on the 5th inst., and prepared to state the conditions on which he would be disposed to enter

> the discussion, said if the war continued the United States would be the only victorious Power, as Europe would have committed suicide. He said the Chancollor knew that the whole world was waiting Germany's overtures for peace, which peoples everywhere desired.

The Chancellor replied :- As long As a result of a successful enterprise as the foreign rulers percisted in their guilt and ignorance any offer of peace the occupants, withdrawing successfully by us would be folly. If our enemies submit to us proposuls commensurate with the dignity and safety of Germany we shall be ready to discuss them. Fully conscious of our successes, we disclaim responsibility for the continuance of the war. One PARIS, Dec. 10. thing; our enemies must recognise, M. G. Co. The evening communique says there namely, the longer and bifterer the was an intermittent cannonale at war the greater will be the guarantees.

BALKANS' CAMPAIGN.

FRENCH FRONT SHORTENED.

SALONIKA, Dec. 9. Reuter's special correspondent at Headquarters in Macedonia says, in a mossinge dated the 7th inst, that the in order to shorten the front and to take susceptible of future irritation and disease. . . Bethmann-Hollweg's speech up winter quarters. The line was only as noteworthy for his outburst of thrown northward in an endeavour to help the Serbians.

It is reported that the French have blown up the Demirkapu Tunnel bridge.

The withdrawal was very gradual and most orderly, and all material was brought away. The Bulgarians did not press vigorously, though they blazed

The new Franco-British positions are

BULGARIAN ATTACKS REPULSED

Paris, Dec. 10 A Paris communique says the Bulunriana violently attacked at several was Great Britain's reason for taking were everywhere repulsed with heavy

MILITARY MISSION TO RUSSIA.

PETROGRAD, Dec. 9. A Franco-British Military Mission, eaded by Colonel Mangin (French), se arrived here.

RUSSIAN NAVAL MISSION.

PATIS, Dec. 10. The Russian Admiral, Roussine, Thirt of Staff, has arrived here with a Varal Mission. He attended the Allied Var Council in the afternoon,

EASTERN FRONT.

ENEMY AEROPLANE CAPTURED

----Dvinsk, Dec. 9. A large German aeroplane landed n the Russian lines through engine efrots. The airmen, one of whom was Colonel, surrendered after an obempted to swallow a paper, but was revented.

THE ALLIES AND GREECE.

ATHEMS, Dec. 9. The Russian and Italian Ministers lave been in conference with M skovloudie, which is taken to indicate that they associate themselves with the temanda made for guarantees con regning the Anglo French forces.

GREEK INSTITUTIONS IN MACEDONIA.

" ATHENS, Dec. 9. It is stated that negotiations are the Bulgarians in Serbian Macedonia.

GREECE AND BULGARIA

ATHENS, Dec. 9 The Greek newspapers emphasise hat there is no difficulty in obtaining roals from Bulgaria,

MORE SITALIAN BUCCESSES.

A communique says that in the Montepero zone, detachments, under cover of log, penetrated one of our antroachments on the Rodil spar, but were immediately rjected. On the Calvario Height we occupied

in enemy shelter, capturing 80 rifles and ammunition In minor offensive operations or Monte San Michele we captured 71

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Corps Orders by Lieut.-Col. A. Chapman, Y.D.

Gunner A .. F. Brown joined the C rps om:10, inst. allotted Corps No. 1949 and posted to No. 2 Section Artill sy Battery. Parades for Sun 'ay., 12th instant :-

d.ted 6.12.15. 9-9 40 a. m. Field Operatione, en detailed n Corrs Order No. 5 deted 10,12.15. Parades for Munday, 13th instant : -7 a.m. and 5.30 pm. Members of Signalling Section and other Signallers, as detailed in Sig alling Section Order dated Dec. 8th-Semaphore and Morse

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Responses, Ferial; Venite, Burrowse; Pealms, 82, 63; To Doum, Woodward, Smart, Turle: Jubilate, Crotch (3rd. evening; Hymns, 50, 217. " God Save the King."

Evensong (5.45 p m.) Responses, Ferial; Psalms, of the 12th evening; Magnificat, Goodenough (11th evening); Nunc Dimittis, Wesley; Anthem, "O Lord My God," Wesley; Hymns, 28, 49. N.B. - Organ Recital on Monday, Dec.

20th, 5,30 p.m.

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8 s.m. Holy Communion. 11 s.m .- Morning Prayer and Sermon. Prescher - Roy, W. T. Featherstone.

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Burrowes Day 12th ; Psalms, As set ; Te - Deum, St. Jude: Benedictus, Garrett : Hymns, 1, 80 (Tune 222 A & MO 68.: National Authors. Evening Prayer 8 p.m.

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SHIPPING

ARRIVALS. December 10. Liongehous, British atsamer, 1,220, W. Benson, Shanghai Dreember 7, General.

BUTTERFIELD & SWILL. Derwent, British str., 1,582, J. Jenkins, Saigon December 5, Rico and General.

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way, Yokohama November 30, General.-

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DEPARTURES.

December 11. Anhui, for Canton. Daylight, for New York. Eurongsang, for Canton. Dira, for Haiphong. Theregard, for Manila. Kumsang, for Saigou. Yusany, for Canton. Shinyo Maru, for Japan and Sin Fran-

CLEARED. Chofu Maru, for Haiphonz. Wingsang, for Swatow and Shanghal. Worship at 5 pim. and the Lord's Daigin Maris, for Swatow and Tameul. Supper; at 4 p.m. a. Children's Hong Kheng, for Singapore and Rangoon. Pheumpenh, for Saigon. Hadan, for Heihow. Kaifuku Maru, for Mororan & Vancouver.

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STRAMERS EXPECTED.

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Per Hailan, at 1 p.m., on Tuesday, the a 14th Doc. PHILIPPINE ISLANDS. Par Taming, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the 14th Dec.

SHANGHAI & NORTH CHINA. (Europe via Siberia). Per Anhui, Registration at 2.15 p.m.

(Shanghai British P.O., Saturday, 18th SANDAKAN. Per Hinsang, at 11 a.m., on Wednesday. CHAREHOLDERS are reminded that

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(2:)- That the Directors be authorised to offer the said 10,000 additional shares at a premium of \$10 per share to each Momber on the Register of Members on the 14th day of December, "1915, in the proportion of one New Share for every complete number of Five Shares which such Member is the Registered Holder of on the dare and upon the footing (unless the Directors) shall otherwise determine) that Share bolders "abill be given the option of, priging the full amount of each abero taken up plus the premium (making) together \$60 per Share) to the Compaying such amount on or before the 20th February, 1016, with interest at the rate of theper cent. per annum from (and including) the lat January, 1916, until payment and that if any Shareholder fails to pay the full amount due on any Shares accupted by him (including promium and interest) on or before the 29th Fabruary, 1918, such Shares may be to feited by the Directors and that such offer be made notice specifying the number of Shares to which the Member is entitled and limiting the time within which the offer if not accepted will be deemed to be declined tertho 3' st December, 1915. and that the Direct is be empowe ed to dispose of the Shares not accepted in response to such offer to such persons upon such tarms and conditions (and at such times as they consider expedient in the interests of the Company and that forfeited Shares shall become the property of the Company and may be sold, reallotted or other. wise disposed of by the Directors in

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with the existing capital. (4.)-That no Member shall be entitled to an offer of any fraction of an additional share in respect of any Number of Shares less than five held by him.

(5.) That the Directors be empowered to dispose of all additional shares which members are not entitled to have offered to them to such persons upon such terms and conditions and at such times as they consider expedient in the interests of the Company.

(6.)-That the proposed exercise by the Directors of the power of borrowing "vested in them by the creation of a debenture issue of \$2,000,000 bearing interest at Six per c nt., of which \$1.000.000 is to be offered for subscription forthwith and the balance is to be dealt with in such manner as the Directors may in the present or future determine be and the same is hereby approved and that the Directors be left to raise and secure the repayment of such debentures in such manner and upon such terms and conditions in all respects as they think fit with liberty, if they think fit to deposit any of such debentures with the Company's Bankers on such terms as they think lit as security for any indebtedness of the Company to its Bankers either present or future.

And the Resolution hereafter further subjoined will also be prop sed as an Extraordinary Resolution, viz. :-" That the regulations contained in the printed document submitted to this Meeting and for the purpose of identification subscribed by the Chairman thereof be and the same are hereby approved and that such regulations be and they are hereby adopted as, the Articles of the Company is substitution for and to the exclusion of all the existing Articles

Should the Resolution immediately precoding for the approval and adoption of TASMANIA. NEW ZEALAND & new regulations of the Company be passed NEW GUINEA via THURSDAY by the required majority it will be submitted for confirmation as a Special Per Tungo Maris, Registration at 9.15 Resolution to a second . Extraordinary a m. Letters at 10 a.m., on Tues. Meeting which will be subsequently convened. A copy of the new regulations Bulgaria and the Ottoman Empire are sus. SHANGHAL NORTH CHINA, JAPAN referred to can be seen on application at via MOJI, VICTORIA, SEATTLE & the Company's Office in Hongkong or at UNITED KINGDOM VIA CANADA. | the Offices of Messieurs Deacon, Looker, Doscon & Harston, the Company's

Dated the 1st day of December, 1915. By Order of the Board. R. M. DYER,

CHIEF MANAGER. OTICE.—The Register of Shareholders will be Closed from and including the 14th December, 1915, to the 21th December, 1915." By Order of the Board.

R. M. DYER. CHIEF MANAGER.

Letters at 8 p.m., on Tuesday, the THE HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE

> pursuant to the Resolutions advertised ED ON THE 14TH DAY OF DECEMBER. made TO THE SH REHOLDERS ON THE REGISTER ON THAT DAY. The last day for receiving to melers will accordingly be THE 13111 DECEMBER, 1915. R. M. DYER,

Hongkong, 1st December, 1910. [102

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CANTON, LIMITED.

Resolutions :-That the Capital of the Society be "million Dollars) by the creation of "3,600 (Three thousand six hundred)
"additional ordinary shares of \$250 " (Two hundred and fifty Dollars) "cash (whereof \$100 (One hundred " Dollars) shall be credited as paid " up) ranking for dividend and in all other respects part posses with the "society and that the said ad "ditional shares, so far as shall be " necessary for the purpose, be issued " to those Shareholders of the China "Fire Insurance Company Limited "who have accepted or shall accept " the Society's offer made to them on. " the 4th day of August, 1915-such " issue being in secondance with the "terms of a contract or memorandum " in writing made or to be made " pursuant to the said offer and to be "filed with the Hegistrar of Com-"panies: and that the balance (if "apy) of the said additional shares "be disposed of by the Society's "Board of Directurs in such manner "as such Board shall think most "beneficial to the Society".

> ! Articles of Association which now reads :-*The Society shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares Sof any shareholder for all monies 'due to the Society sither from him *slone or jointly with any other person and where a share is hold by more persons than, one the Society shall have a lien thereon 'in respect of all monies so due to tit from all or any of the holders thereof .

"That Article No. 9 of the Society's

"be climinated in its outirety and "that in lieu thereof the following "new Article be inserted as Article " No. 9 :-

9. The Society shall have a first and paramount lien upon all the shares registered in the name of each. shareholder (whether solely or ' jointly with others) and upon the proceeds of sale thereof, for his · debt : liabilities and engagements. and solely or jointly with any other person, to or with the Society, whether the period for the payment, fulfilment, or discharge thereof shall have actually 'arrived or not, and no equitable interest in any share shall be created except upon the footing and condition that Clause 34A hereof is to have full effect. And such lien shall extend to all dividends from time to time 'declared in respect of such

abares . That after Article No. 34 of the "Society's Articles of Association "the following new Article be insert-

"cd as Article No. 34a :--344 'Save as herein otherwise provided the Society shall be entitled to treat the registered holder of any share as the absolute owner thereof, and accordingly shall not, except as ordered by a Court of competent jurisdiction, or as by 1001 Ordinance required, be bound to recognise any equitable or other. claim to or interest in such share on the part of any other person, firm, Company or Corporation.

"That the heading of Articles Nos. 4-80 to 100 (inclusive) of the Society's " Articles of Association reading the "Secretary' be altered so as to read "the General Manager'; and that in "the last mentioned Articles (Nos. 100 to 100 inclusive) wherever the "word 'Secretary' appears such word . " be eliminated and that in lieu thereof "the words General Manager" be

"That in the following Articles " Govern! Manager be inserted."

Dated this 4th day of December 1915. By Order of the Board, . .

C. MONTAGUE EDE. .__ Secretary

HONGKONG

The tide-table given below has bee compiled at the Nautical Almanac Office a London from the result of the analys of observations taken, by means of an ac omatic tide-recording machine in the W er Police Basin at Telm Sha Tsul durin

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will be submitted for confirmation as Special Resolutions :--

"That Article No. Pof the Company's "Articles of Association which now " reads :--

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1194 to 99 (inclusive) of the Company's Articles of Association taid-"ing :- the Secretary' be alt red 4 so as to read the General "Manager'; and that in the last . Wmentioned sticles (Nos. 94 to 99 "inclu-ive) wherever the word " Secretary " ap, ears such word be " eliminated and that in lieu thereof "the words 'General Manager' be "inserted."

4, 1. Thet in the following Articles of "the Company's Articles of Associa-"tion, viz :- "Articles Nos. 2, 7, "24, 35, 44, 46, 52, 54, 83, 93, 102 "and 128 the word . Secretary "wherever it occurs be eliminated "and that in lieu thereof the words " General Manager 'be inserted." Dated this 4th day of December 1915.

By Order of the Board, C. MONTAGUE EDE. . Secretary:

PASSENGERS EXPECTED.

Per P. & O. steamer Maloja, From London Oct. 30. - Inspector and Mrs Garrod. Mr. C. Fox. Miss M. Day, Mr F. P. Lenfesty, Mr W. G. Goggin, Mr G. Neid, Mr and Mrs L. Holward.

Per P. and O. steamer Arabia. From Lo don .- Mr W. G. Chike, Miss Ferry, Miss F. N. Couper, Mrs Foulds and child. Per N. Y. K. s.s. Suwa Maru. From London Nov. 6 .- Mrs and Master M. Henderson, Mrs and Miss Main, Mrs of the Society's4 " Articles of Hodgins, Mr and Mrs Weiv, Miss Emer-"Association, viz :- Articles Nos. 2, ton, Mr and Mrs T. R. Wolff and -2 -chil-17, 25, 36, 45, 47, 53, 55, 84 94, dren, Mrs P. Hodgson, Mr and Mrs "103 and 120 the word "Secretary" Brown, Mr Grist, Mr and Mrs G. H. "wherever it occurs be eliminated Moore-Mead, Capt. F. Wheeler, Rev. and "and that in lieu thereof the words | Mrs Ferguson, Mr and Mrs Stewart, Mr A. J. Poole, Mr and Mrs J. T. Smalley and 2 children, Mrs and Miss E. Roberts. Mrs Knight, and nfant. Per N. Y. K. a.s. Alsuta Marus. From London Nov. 20 .- Mr. G. Worby. Per P. & O. s.s. Moldavia. From London, Nov. 27. - Rev. S. N. Norton.

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WEATHER REPORT.

On the 11th at 10.50. - The anticyclone has weakened and moved eastward. It is new central over Kores.

The Japanese depression has moved into the Pacific.

The typhoon in the China Sea appears to be nearly stationary to the east of the Macclesfields.

The monsoon will moderate considerably to the north of Sharp Peak, but remain strong along south coasts of China.

Cyclone gales may be expected, over the north east of the China Sea.

Hongkong Rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.28 inches. Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon on December 19th :-1.-Hongkong and Neighbourhood :

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DECEMBER 11, 1915. OFFICIAL MORNING QUOTATIONS.

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